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In re PATENT APPLICATION of:  
SHIN NISHIZAWA

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For: METHOD OF CONTROLLING THE OPERATION OF AN OPTICAL DISC  
RECORDING APPARATUS, AND RECORDING MEDIUM ON WHICH THE CONTROL  
PROGRAM IS RECORDED

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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith is a Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") and a Preliminary Amendment for this application.

## EXTENSION OF TIME

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for a 3 months extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136.

## FEES

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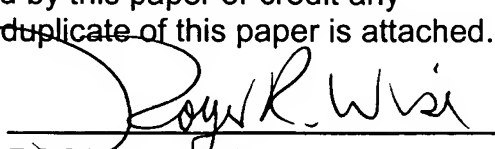
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GRAND TOTAL	\$ 1,920.00

**FEE PAYMENT**

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$1,920.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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